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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Kurt R. NIELSEN, et al.	Examiner:	
Serial No.:	10/791,631	Bos, Steven J.	
Filed:	03/01/2004	Art Unit:	1754
For:	SODIUM BICARBONATE PRODUCTION FROM NAHCOLITE		
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Sir:

Attached are:

- Transmittal Letter (in dup); PTO Form SB/31 Notice of Appeal (in dup); Petition and Fee for Extension of Time – two months (in dup); checks for \$500 and \$450; and**
- Return Receipt Postcard**

Fee calculation:

- An extension fee in the amount of \$450 for a two-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Not a Small Entity	
					Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate
Total		Minus			1 x \$25=		x \$50=	
Indep.		Minus			2 x 100=		x \$200=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$180=		+\$360=	
					Total		Total	\$

Fee payment:

- Checks in the amount of \$500 and \$450 are enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$ A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

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